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(\$111(a)) APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL OF  
INTERNATIONAL  
APPLICATION**

(Bypass Continuation Application Under 35 U.S.C. §111(a))

Attorney Docket No.  
1293.1071DDCFirst Named Inventor:  
Jung-wan KO et al.Title: **RECORDING MEDIUM FOR STORING WRITE  
PROTECTION INFORMATION AND WRITE  
PROTECTION METHOD THEREOF**

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**APPLICATION  
ELEMENTS**See MPEP chapter 600  
concerning utility  
patent application contents.**ADDRESS TO:****Commissioner for Patents  
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PO Box 1450  
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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
2. ☒ Specification, Claims & Abstract ..... [Total Pages: 19 ]
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) ..... [ Total Sheets: 13 ] [FIGS. 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B, 5A, 5B, 6A, 6B, 7, 8-9, 10, 11-12, 13, 14-15, 16 ]
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration ..... [ Total Pages: 1 ]  
a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)  
b. ☒ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
5. ☐ This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior nonprovisional application.  
a. ☐ DELETE the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:  
  
b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a separate sheet attached hereto.
6. ☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status
7. ☒ Incorporation by Reference  
The entire disclosure of the prior application (identified in Item 22) is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
8. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 C.F.R. 1.76
9. ☒ Applicant claims foreign priority benefit to: Korean Applications 98-22390 filed June 15, 1998; 98-23917 filed June 24, 1998; 98-39727 filed September 24, 1998; 98-54190 filed December 10, 1998; 99-4679 filed February 10, 1999
10. ☐ CD-Rom or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
11. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)  
a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)  
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12. ☒ For publication of assignee information under 37 CFR 1.215(b), list the assignee as SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD. of Suwon-si, Republic of Korea at Reel 010475, Frame 0339.  
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**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

13. ☐ Assignment (cover sheet & document(s)) to SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.
14. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
15. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
16. ☒ Foreign priority benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119 is claimed.  
a. ☒ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) filed in prior application No. 09/333,520.  
b. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) enclosed.  
c. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) to follow.
17. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☒ Copies of IDS Citations not previously submitted in parent applications.
18. ☒ Preliminary Amendment  
a. ☐ enclosed herewith.  
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19. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
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**22. CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below:

☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: 10/107,147, filed March 28, 2002.

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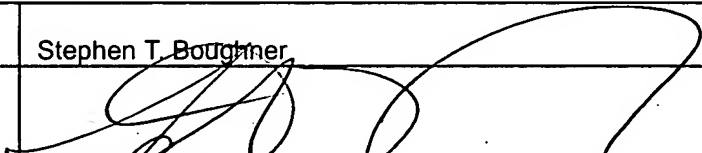


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<b>NEW APPLICATION FEE TRANSMITTAL</b>		Attorney Docket No. 1293.1071DDC			
		Application Number Continuation of 10/107,147			
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